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Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon statement on minimum wage bill signing

Salem, Ore. – Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon (EMO) is proud that our state leaders have stood with Oregon’s 100,000 minimum wage workers, giving each and every one of these workers a raise without exception. EMO thanks Governor Kate Brown and the Oregon Legislature for lifting up all workers, and by doing so, making Oregon stronger.

Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon is a statewide association of Christian denominations, congregations, ecumenical organizations and interfaith partners working together to improve the lives of Oregonians through community ministry programs, ecumenical and interreligious dialogue, environmental ministry and public policy advocacy. Please note, the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon releases all public policy statements through the Oregon Catholic Conference.

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